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Sir:

This communication is in response to the office action of 2 April 2004

Entry of any amendments and consideration of the remarks is respectfully requested.

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#### **CONDITIONAL PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

If any extension of time for this response is required, Applicants request that this be considered a petition therefore. Please charge the required fee to Deposit Account No. 14-1263.

#### **ADDITIONAL FEES**

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#### **REMARKS**

Claims 1-13, 19-23 are pending.

Claims 1, 3, 6-10, 13, 19, 21-22 were amended. Claims 1 and 3 were amended to include the sequence identifier according to Examiner's Instructions. Examiner is referred to the sequence listing submitted on July 6, 2001.

Additional amendments were of a grammatical and formal nature. It is believed that no amendment added new matter and the claims are in condition for examination.

Respectfully Submitted,

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